तथा कानून एवं नियन्त्रण आदि जैसे घटकों पर निर्भर करता है। ये घटक विभिन्न संयंत्रों और देशों की टैरिफों में समानता को जटिलतम बना देता है।

Power Requirement of Karnataka

570. SHRI K. RAHMAN KHAN: Will the MINISTER OF POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the total requirment of power in Kernataka:

(b) what is the total generation of power in Karnataka during last three years;

(c) what is the total allocation of power to Karnataka from the central grid during the last three years; and

(d) what are the steps taken by Government of Karnataka to generate more power and how many power plants are under installation in Karnataka?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI YOGINDER K. ALAGH): (a) the energy and power requirment in Karnataka during 1996-97 was 24940 MU and 4220 MW respectively.

(b) The total energy generation in Karnataka during the years 1994-95, 1995-96 and 1996-97 was 16352 MU, 14915 MU and 12339 MU respectively,

(c) Entitlment versus actual drawal of power by Karnataka from central sector stations in southern region from 1994-95 to 1996-97 is given below:—

(Figures in MU)

	1994-95	1995-96	1996-97
Entitlement	4060	4085.9	4681.0
Actual Drawal	3395.2	4495.6	5773.7

(d) Government of Karnataka have evolved long term and short term measures to mitigate the shortage of power in the State.

SHORT TERM MEASURES

(1) Establishing Barge mounted power stations at four places with a total installed capacity of 606 MW.

(2) Establishing multi fuel projects of small capacity (20-50 MW) in twelve locations with a total capacity of 668 MW.

(3) KPCL is augmenting the capacity of their Thermal Plant at Raichur by adding two more units of 210 MW each.

(4) Hydro electric project Kodsalli and Sharavathi tail race projects are in advanced state of construction (360 MW).

LONG TERM MESURES

Government of Karnataka singed MOUs for establishing 19 projects with a total installed capacity of 6858 MW.

Four projects are under installation viz. Kadra—IInd phase (50 MW), Kodasalli, Raichur Thermal Power Station Vth and VIth units and Sharavathi tail race projects.

Loans on Concessinal Rates by Rural Electrification Corporation

571. SHRI PARAG CHALIHA: Will the MINISTER OF POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that louns on concessional rates are provided by the Rural electrification Corporation, under the Minimum Need Progoramme: and